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ECO LH110 Series Digital Video Surveillance Recorder







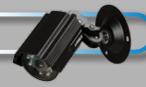
PACKAGE CONTENTS:

- 1 X Eco Digital Video Recorder With Pre-Installed HDD*
- 1 X USB Mouse 1 X Power Adapter
- 1 X Remote Control
- 1 X Ethernet Cable
- 1 X Instruction Manual
- 1 X Quick Start Guide
- 1 X CD

ATTENTION:

- This guide refers only to the DVR set-up.
- DVR model, number of channels/port configuration and HDD (hard disk drive) capacity may vary by model. Check your package for specific content information.
- Monitor and cameras are not included.
- Broadband router and computer are required for local and remote monitoring (not)







For detailed setup information, please refer to your included User's Manual. For additional information, please visit our website www.lorextechnology.com

* For setup of Instant Mobile Viewing refer to your User Manual.

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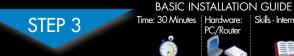
STEP 2

NAVIGATION AND CONTROLS

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SET-UP LOCAL VIEWING ON YOUR PC



Retrieve the DVR Information

area network) using your PC.

network as the DVR.

window, and then click

IP ADDRESS: MAC ADDRESS:

WEB PORT:

1. Launch Internet Explorer.

in the previous step)

This step will teach you how to locally

view your system over the LAN (local

NOTE: This method only works

if your computer is on the same

To record your IP Address, Mac Address

and Web Port right-click in the viewing

Main Menu>Advance>Information

(Required for DDNS registration)

Logging into Lorex Web Client (LOCALLY)

i.e. http://192.168.X.XXX:80

Record the information in the section below:





Connecting Cameras (not included)

Connect BNC cameras to the BNC ports (**VIDEO INPUT**) on the rear panel.

Connecting the USB Mouse

to the top USB port on the back panel of the DVR.

2 Connect the USB mouse

NOTE: Test the cameras prior selecting a permanent mountir location by temporarily connecting the cameras and cables to your DVR.



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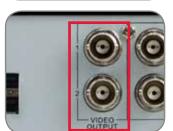
Connecting a Monitor (not included)

3c Connect the VGA cable (not included) from your LCD monitor to the VGA port on the rear panel of the DVR.



OR

From one of the VIDEO **OUTPUT** ports connect a BNC terminated cable (not included) to a TV or CCTV monitor.



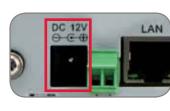
Connecting the Ethernet Cable

4 Connect one end of the Ethernet cable to an available LAN port of your router (not included) and the other end to the DVR's Network Port.



Powering ON the DVR

Connect the power cable to the DC 12V port on the rear panel and the power cord into an electrical outlet. The system turns on automatically once the power cord is plugged in. At startup, the system performs a basic system check and runs an initial loading sequence. After a few moments, the system connected prior to powering loads a live display view.



NOTE: Make sure all cameras and cables are properly

NOTE: If your monitor is not automatically detected, the DVR front panel buttons, mouse and remote control may not respond. To fix this simply press "0" three times on the remote control **or** press and hold the **(**(rewind) button on the DVR front panel until you hear a beep. For more information, please refer to the User's Manual

Setting the Date & Time

- 6 1. Right-click anywhere on the screen to open the Sub-Menu and select MAIN MENU.
 - 2. Click Advance > DATE/TIME.
 - 3. Configure the date and press **UPDATE NOW** to save your settings. Press APPLY and then EXIT.



It is important to set the correct time to assure accurate time stamps on video recordings.

Managing Passwords

By default, passwords are disabled on the system. You do not need to enter a password when accessing any system menus.



NOTE: By default, the DVR username and password are

NOTE: For security purposes, it is highly recommended to enable passwords on the system using the Password Menu. Please refer to the owner's manual for more information.

Using the Main Menu

Right-click anywhere on-screen to open the Sub-Menu and select MAIN MENU (mouse only), or press the **MENU** button on the remote control or the **MENU** button on the system front panel of the DVR.





- 1. Display Record
 - Device
- 3. Network 6. Advance

Using a Mouse (Recommended)

- 1: Left-Button: Click to select a menu option; during live viewing in splitscreen, double-click on a channel to view the selected channel in full-screen.; double-click the channel again to return to split-screen view.
- 2: Right-Button: Click to open the Sub-Menu or to exit from a menu.

3 The DVR can also be controlled using the front panel

Please refer to the User's Manual for more information on

Front Panel Buttons

Remote Control

You have completed STEPS 1 & 2 successfully. Your DVR

is now ready to use. Refer to the owner's manual to learn

how to record, playback, search and for all other features

buttons and the included remote control.

3: Scroll-Wheel: No function.

Other Control Options

these methods.

available with this DVR.

3. Enter your **user name** and password, then click LOGIN.

Your default login: Username is "admin" Password is left blank

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4. You must install the ActiveX® plug-in for DVR Netviewer to function. Click the attention bar at the top of the main page and select Install ActiveX Control. Lorex Web Client will reset.

. In the address bar, enter the **IP address of your DVR** (recorded

NOTE: Enter http://followed by the IP address of your DVR (recorded

in step 3-1), then a colon followed by the Web Port number

5. Log in with your **LAN** user name and password. From the security window, click Install.

Live Viewing Using the Web Client (LOCALLY)

Upon login, the Web Client main screen appears in your browser.



For a full explanation of all the buttons and features, please refer to the User's Manual.

Congratulations! You can now view & playback video on your via your LAN.

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Auto Port Forward Wizard

NOTE: You must be on the same network as the DVR when setting up the DDNS.

The Lorex Auto Port Forwarding Wizard is a software that automates router port forwarding.

You must have the following before you configure the software:

- 1. Your router's **model** and **version** numbers
- 2. Your router's user name and password
- 3. Your Lorex device's IP address (recorded in Step 3-1) 4. Your Lorex device's **port** numbers that require port forwarding
- (80, 9000, 1025)

Installation

Insert the system's software CD, and follow the instructions to launch the Lorex Auto Port Forwarding Wizard software.

NOTE: The Wizard is PC compatible only Mac users, please go to Step 4-4.

1: Populate the Router Database

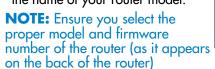
The Auto Port Forwarding Wizard automatically populates a list of current routers, and detects the number of connected routers.

1. Click the **Next** button after the software detects your router configuration.



2: Enter your Router Settings

1. Under the Router drop-down list, select the model of your router **OR** click the **Search** button to enter the name of your router model.



IMPORTANT: Default ports that must be port forwarded for remote access: Port **80** (Web Port)

Port **9000** (Net Client/Media Port) Port 1025 (Mobile Connectivity Port)

NOTE: Click the **Auto Detect** button if you have a Linksys or Netgear router (this works with most models).

- 2. Under Router IP, click the Detect Router IP button. The router's IP populates in the blank field.
- 3. Under **Username** and **Password**, enter the router's username and password.
- 4. Under IP, enter the IP address of your Lorex device as recorded in Step 3-1.
- 5. Under **Port**, enter the port number(s) that require forwarding (80, 9000, 1025).
- 6. Click **Next** to continue.

3: Update the Router Settings

- 1. Click the **Update Router** button. The program begins updating the router settings. This may take 20 - 30 seconds.
- 2. Close the **update** window when the update finishes.

NOTE: You may have to manually save your router settings after the software makes the required changes to your router.



4: Test your Connection

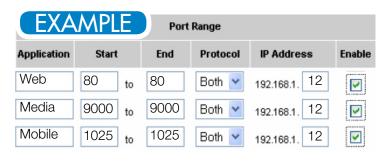
1. Click the **Test Your Connection** button. Your system's default browser opens and connects to your Lorex device. **NOTE:** Ensure that Internet Explorer is your system's default internet browser.

4 Optional: Manual Port Forward

If you were unable to port-forward your router automatically using the wizard, you will need to manually forward ports 80, 9000 and 1025 to your DVR's IP address.

All routers are different. To port forward your router, please refer to your router's user manual

An example of a port forwarding screen is shown for illustration purposes.



5 DDNS (Dynamic Domain Name System) Set-up

Open your web browser (Internet Explorer by default) and enter http://www.lorexdans.net in the address bar.



6 Create Account

- 1. Click Step 1
- 2. Create a new My Lorex account or sign in using an existing account.



Complete New Account Information

NOTE: Warranty Registration is required for DDNS.

- 1. Click Warranties.
- 2. Click Activate Warranty.
- 3. Under Your Address, select an address or click Enter a New Address to create a new address. Fill in your address information and click Create Address.
- 4. Fill in the warranty registration form with your product and purchase details and click **Save** Warranty. Check the sticker underneath your DVR for the Product Model Number and Serial Number.
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- 5. Click **Set Up a New DDNS**.



- 6. Fill out the My DDNS form:
- Product Warranty: Select the product warranty you created in the previous steps.
- Prier the web sile address
- **Device Name**: Enter a name for your device. You can enter your name, business name, or anything of your choice.
- MAC Address: Enter the MAC address of your Lorex system recorded in Step 3-1.
- **URL Request**: Enter the web site address that will be used to connect to your Lorex system.

NOTE: URL Request should not be more than 15 characters.

6. Click **Save** to register your product for DDNS. A DDNS registration confirmation email will be sent to the email address used to register for My Lorex.

Registration E-mail

An automated **REGISTRATION CONFIRMATION E-MAIL** will be sent to your email. Print and Save this confirmation. You will need to enter it into your system to enable remote access.

Domain Name/URL Request: tomsmith DDNS User Name: tomsmith

DDNS Device Password: (your password)

Right-click in the main viewing window,

and then click Main Menu>Network.

Enable DDNS on the DVR

- 2. Click **DDNS Setup**.
- 3. In the **DDNS** drop-down menu, select Enable.

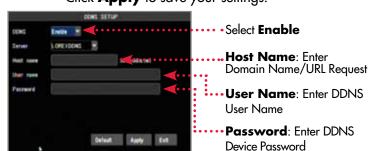


EXAMPLE

TO Enter the DDNS Information into the DVR Enter the following into the **DDNS Setup** menu:

- Host Name: Enter the Domain Name/URL Request that was emailed to you after DDNS registration.
- User Name: Enter your DDNS User Name that was emailed to you after DDNS registration.
- Password: Enter your DDNS Device Password that was emailed to you after DDNS registration.

Click **Apply** to save your settings.



NOTE: Please allow 10~15 minutes for the DDNS servers to update with your new DDNS address. This is normal for the DDNS system.

Logging into DVR Web Client (REMOTELY)

To access your DVR remotely, enter the DDNS address that you created earlier into Internet Explorer. The DDNS Address must include http://, your URL request, followed by .lorexddns. net, a colon, then the Web port number of your DVR.



Web Port Number

Installing ActiveX Plug-ins

When connecting to your system the first time, you will have to install an ActiveX plug-in for Internet Explorer.

To install ActiveX[®] plug-ins on Internet Explorer:

- 1. Log in to your system using Internet Explorer.
- 2. Click the ActiveX banner near the top of the browser, and then click Run Add-on.



Logging into the System

1. Enter the **user name** and **password**, as shown below.



Password is left blank

- Preview check box.
- 4. Click **Login** to connect to the system.

NOTE: Certain ISP (Internet Service Providers) block port 80. If you are unable to connect, check with your ISP and consult with the user manual for instructions on changing the web port. Make sure to port forward your revised web port.

Lorex Web Client Screen

Upon login, the Web Client main screen appears in your browser.



For a full explanation of all the Web Client buttons and features, please refer to the User's Manual.

Congratulations! You have completed Step 4 successfully. You can now connect over the internet to view and playback video.



For Instant Mobile Connectivity using a Smart Phone refer to the instruction manual. Make sure to complete Step 4 entirely.

To connect using Mac, please see the nstruction manual.

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